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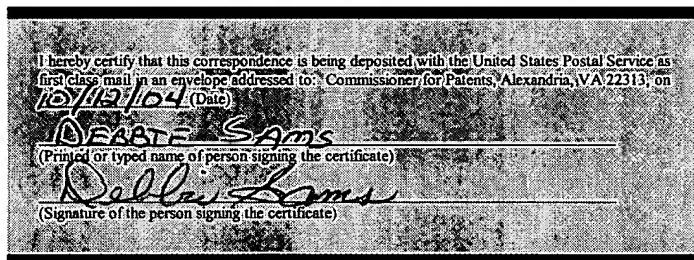
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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

The Applicants have carefully considered this application in connection with the Examiner's Action mailed July 14, 2004, and respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following remarks.